Listing of Claims

1. (Previously Cancelled) A memory back-up system comprising:

a first memory cell;

a non-volatile memory cell that is interfaced to the first memory cell; control circuitry that allows data to be written to one of the first memory cell and the non-volatile memory cell, and that provides transfer of the data from one of the first memory cell and the non-volatile memory cell to the other one of the first memory cell and the non-volatile memory cell.

- 2. (Previously Cancelled) The memory back-up system of claim 1, wherein the control circuitry further includes allowing data to be read from one of the first memory cell and the non-volatile memory cell.
- 3. (Previously Cancelled) The memory back-up system of claim 1, wherein the first memory cell and the non-volatile memory cell are integrated on a common substrate.
- 4. (Previously Cancelled) The memory back-up system of claim 1, wherein the nonvolatile memory cell is an MRAM memory cell.
- 5. (Previously Cancelled) The memory back-up system of claim 1, wherein the nonvolatile memory cell comprises at least one of MRAM memory, ferro-electric FeRAM, and Flash memory.

- (Previously Cancelled) The memory back-up system of claim 1, wherein the first
 memory cell is formed adjacent to a substrate, and the non-volatile memory cell is
 formed adjacent to the first memory cell.
- (Previously Cancelled) The memory back-up system of claim 1, further comprising
 a plurality of first memory cells and a plurality of non-volatile memory cells.
- (Previously Cancelled) The memory back-up system of claim 7, wherein the plurality of first memory cells and the plurality of non-volatile memory cells are integrated on a common substrate.
- (Previously Cancelled) The memory back-up system of claim 7, wherein the
 plurality of first memory cells and the plurality of non-volatile memory cells are
 accessed through a common set of access control lines.
 - 10. (Previously Cancelled) The memory back-up system of claim 9, wherein the common set of access control lines comprise at least one of row select lines and column select lines.
 - 11. (Previously Cancelled) The memory back-up system of claim 7, wherein the plurality of first memory cells and the plurality of non-volatile memory cells comprise a shared set of wide data lines.

- 12. (Previously Cancelled) The memory back-up system of claim 11, wherein the shared set of wide data lines comprises at least 256 data lines.
- 13. (Presently Amended) A memory back-up system comprising:
 - a volatile memory cell;
- a non-volatile memory cell, the non-volatile memory cell being integrated with the volatile memory cell, the non-volatile memory cell being [that is] interfaced with the volatile memory cell;
- a common control line connected to the <u>integrated</u> volatile memory cell and the non-volatile memory cell, the common control line allowing data to be simultaneously written to the volatile memory cell and the non-volatile memory cell.
- 14. (Original) The memory back-up system of claim 13, wherein the volatile memory cell is a DRAM memory cell and the non-volatile memory cell is an MRAM memory cell.
- 15. (Original) The memory back-up system of claim 13, further comprising a second control line which in combination with the common control line provides selection of the volatile memory cell.
- 16. (Original) The memory back-up system of claim 13, further comprising a third control line which in combination with the common control line provides selection of the non-volatile memory cell.
- (Original) The memory back-up system of claim 13, further comprising a an array volatile memory cells;
- an array of non-volatile memory cells, each non-volatile memory cell interfaced with a corresponding volatile memory cell;
- a plurality of common control lines, each common control line connected to a corresponding plurality of volatile memory cells and the non-volatile memory cells, the

common control line allowing data to be simultaneously written to the corresponding plurality of volatile memory cells and the non-volatile memory cells.

18. (Previously Deleted) A memory back-up system comprising:

a plurality of first memory cells;

a plurality of non-volatile memory cells that are interfaced to the first memory cells:

control circuitry that allows data to be written to one of the first memory cells and the non-volatile memory cells, and that provides transfer of the data from one of the first memory cells and the non-volatile memory cells to the other one of the first memory cells and the nonvolatile memory cells.

19. (Previously Deleted) The memory back-up system of claim 18, wherein the control circuitry further includes allowing data to be read from one of the first memory cell and the non-volatile memory cell.

20. (Presently Amended) A computing device comprising:

a controller;

a memory unit interfaced with the controller, the memory unit comprising;

an array volatile memory cells;

an array of non-volatile memory cells, each non-volatile memory cell interfaced with a corresponding volatile memory cell; and a plurality of common control lines, each common control line connected to a corresponding plurality of the integrated volatile memory cells and the non-volatile memory cells, the common control line allowing data to be simultaneously written to the corresponding plurality of volatile memory cells and the non-volatile memory cells.

21. (Presently Amended) An image storing device comprising:

means for receiving an image;

a memory unit for storing the image, the memory unit comprising;

an array volatile memory cells;

an array of non-volatile memory cells, each non-volatile memory cell integrated and interfaced with a corresponding volatile memory cell; and

a plurality of common control lines, each common control line connected to a corresponding plurality of the integrated volatile memory cells and the non-volatile memory cells, the common control line allowing data to be simultaneously written to the corresponding plurality of volatile memory cells and the non-volatile memory cells.

- 22. (New) The memory back-up system of claim 11, wherein a single word line WL is connected to both the first memory cell and the non-volatile memory cell.
- 23. (New) The memory back-up system of claim 22, wherein the single word line WL is connected to a DRAM controlling transistor gate of the DRAM memory cell and a to a MRAM controlling transistor gate of the MRAM memory cell.
- 24. (New) A memory back-up system comprising:
 - a volatile memory cell;
 - a non-volatile memory cell that is interfaced with the volatile memory cell;
- a common control line connected to the volatile memory cell and the non-volatile memory cell, the common control line allowing data to be simultaneously written to the volatile memory cell and the non-volatile memory cell; wherein

the volatile memory cell is a DRAM memory cell and the non-volatile memory cell is an MRAM memory cell.